

# Alexandria Gazette.

SATURDAY EVENING, JAN. 1, 1910.

## Local Matters.

**Sun and Tide Table.**  
Sun rises tomorrow at 7:30 and sets at 4:40. High water at 11:22 a. m. and 11:38 p. m.

**Weather Probabilities.**  
For this section fair and warmer tonight and Sunday; moderate southwesterly winds.

## Church Services Sunday.

**CHRIST CHURCH.**—Rev. Wm. J. Morton, rector. Sunday school at 9:30 a. m. Services at 11 a. m. and 7:30 p. m. by the rector.  
**ST. PAUL'S CHURCH.**—Services 11 a. m. and 7:30 p. m. by Rev. P. P. Phillips.  
**GRACE CHURCH.**—Rev. Edgar Carpenter, rector. Holy Communion at 7:30 a. m. Sunday school at 9:30 a. m. Sermon at 11 a. m. and 7:30 p. m. by the rector.  
**IMMANUEL LUTHERAN CHURCH.**—Sunday School at 9:30 a. m. Services at 10:30 a. m. by Rev. H. W. Gross.  
**ST. MARY'S CHURCH.**—First mass at 7 a. m. Mass and sermon at 10:30 a. m. Vespers and benediction 4 p. m.  
**SECOND PRESBYTERIAN CHURCH.**—Sunday school at 9:30 a. m. Services at 11 a. m. and 7:30 p. m. by Rev. J. R. Sevier.  
**BAPTIST CHURCH.**—Sunday school at 9:30. Preaching at 11 a. m. and 7:30 p. m. by Rev. W. F. Watson.  
**SECOND BAPTIST CHURCH.**—Sunday school at 9:30 a. m. and preaching at 11 a. m. by Rev. W. E. Lunkford.  
**TRINITY METHOD. EPISC. CHURCH.**—Rev. Osborn Ford, pastor. Sabbath school at 9:30. Preaching at 11 a. m. and 7:30 p. m. by the pastor. Epworth League at 6:30 p. m.  
**BETHANY INDEPENDENT M. P. CHURCH.**—South Fairfax street. Sunday school at 9:30 a. m. Services at 11 a. m. and 7:30 p. m. by Rev. W. M. Poisel.  
**METH. EPISC. CHURCH SOUTH.**—Rev. Charles D. Bulla, pastor. 9:30 a. m. Sunday school. Services at 11 a. m. by Rev. J. D. Harris and 7:30 p. m. by Rev. J. H. Smith. Epworth League at 6:30 p. m.  
**METH. PROT. CHURCH.**—Sunday school at 9:30 a. m. Services at 11 a. m. and 7:30 p. m. by Rev. J. M. Holmes, D. D.  
**FREE METHODIST CHURCH.**—Lee street near Wilkes. Services at 11 a. m. and 7:30 p. m. by Rev. John Cavanaugh.  
**VILLAGE CHURCH.**—M. E. CHURCH SOUTH. Gibson street, near Alfred. Sunday school at 9:30 a. m. Services at 11 a. m. and 7:30 p. m. by Rev. J. M. Holmes, D. D.  
**DEL. RAY CHAPEL M. E. CHURCH SOUTH.**—Sunday school at 9:30 a. m. Preaching at 11 a. m. Epworth League at 6:30 p. m.  
**DEL. RAY BAPTIST CHURCH.**—Preaching at 7:30 p. m.  
**ALMS HOUSE.**—Services at 3:40 p. m.  
**MISSION—Corner 8th and Franklin streets.** Services at 8 p. m.  
**ROBERTS CHAPEL, M. E. CHURCH (colored).**—Sunday school at 9:30 a. m. Preaching at 11 a. m. and 7:30 p. m. Epworth League at 4:30 p. m.  
**MEADE CHAPEL.**—Sunday school at 3:30 p. m. Evening service at 5 p. m.  
**LIBERTY BAPTIST CHURCH (colored).**—Corner Alfred street. Rev. W. H. Johnson, pastor. Sabbath School 9:30 a. m. Services at 1 a. m. and 8 p. m.

## THE NEW YEAR.

The year 1909 became a black number at twelve o'clock last night, and its exit was accompanied with about the usual volume of bell-ringing, blowing, jingling of cowbells, explosion of firecrackers, discharge of guns and pistols, whistle-blowing, etc. The bell in the steeple of the City Hall, which had been silent for several months, pealed out in unison and vied in announcing the birth of the new year.

There were many people in the streets and most residents, as is usual on the last day of the year, did not retire until after midnight. There were social gatherings in every quarter of the city and joy was in the air. About one o'clock this morning the city had assumed its normal quiet.

The watch night services in the Baptist and Trinity E. M. Churches were well-attended.

There have been the usual interchange of calls in the city today, and many people have observed the day as a holiday, and in some instances stores have been closed during the latter part of the day. Services were held in St. Mary's Church this morning.

## THE NEW YEAR.

The Thursday Evening Euchre Club was delightfully entertained last night at a mask party at the residence of Mrs. J. W. Bates, on upper King street. Among those present and the characters they assumed were: Mrs. Kemp Lambeth, as "Bridget O'Flanagan"; Mrs. A. Riley, of Baltimore, as "Little Egypt"; Miss M. Bates, of Braddock Heights, as "Folly"; Miss E. Folmar, as "Suzanna Martini"; Miss Anne Hurdie, as "Dinah Snowball"; Miss Mae Hellmuth, as "Grandmother West"; Miss V. Baggett, as "Mona Liza"; Mrs. O. Lynch, as "Virginia Dare"; Mrs. J. W. Bates, as "Carrie Nation"; Miss Ella Hill, as "Old Miss Betsy West"; Mrs. F. M. Hill, as "Bill Patina of the Bowers"; Miss Lena Siano, as "Dinah Jackson"; Mrs. W. J. Schuler, as "Miss Hazy of the Cabbage Patch"; Mrs. F. J. Paff, as "Dolly Varden of Lemon Alley"; Mrs. O. P. Angelo, as "Betsy West"; Mrs. Hattie Hill, as "Sibyl Tillet, of Paris"; Mrs. C. B. Marshall, as "Sarah S. Simon"; Mrs. T. T. Marshall, of London, as "Sara Jane Davis"; Miss T. K. Kibler, of New York, as "The Divine Sarah."

## MASK PARTY.

After the mask had been removed the guests were handsomely entertained at supper by Mrs. Bates.

## WEEK OF PRAYER.

Following a custom of long standing, the evangelical churches of the city will unite each evening in the services of the week of prayer.

Monday night the service will be at Trinity Methodist Church, and Rev. W. F. Watson will preach the sermon. Tuesday, at the Methodist Protestant Church, sermon by Rev. J. B. Sevier. Wednesday, at the M. E. Church South, sermon by Rev. J. M. Holmes. Thursday at the Presbyterian Church, sermon by Rev. Edgar Carpenter. Friday, at the Baptist Church, sermon by Rev. W. M. Poisel.

The choir of the church at which the services are held will have charge of the music. It is desired that the singers from other churches supplement the regular choir, making a large chorus. These union services are indicative of the unity of purpose and aim of the Christian people of Alexandria.

## POLICE COURT.

[Justice H. B. Eaton presiding.]  
The following cases were disposed of this morning:  
Charles Roberts, charged with drunken and disorderly conduct, was fined \$2.50.  
Guy Jackson, colored charged with discharging a pistol at Henry Hatcher, colored, had his case continued.

## REAPPOINTED.

In the Corporation Court today Messrs. J. M. Johnson, J. C. Milburn and F. J. Davidson were reappointed Confederate pension agents.

The Lindner Shoe for Ladies fine wear has no equal, John A. Marshall & Co., 422 King street

## REMEMBERED THE POOR.

The New Year is upon us and it has been a bright and cheerful day. Many have been the kindnesses extended as a remembrance of the festive season just closed. Home, dreary and uninviting, have been made to resound with gladness as the bright eyes of the inmates were made to behold that which the open hearted benefactors have seen fit to give from their earthly storehouses. Like bread cast upon the waters, these charities will return to bless the givers and make them feel like life is still worth the living. An appreciative glance from a sufferer for a deed of kindness either to himself or his loved ones, who the Ruler of the Universe has seen fit to afflict, is worth all the benefactions which could be bestowed, and the recording angel has been busy, no doubt, during the holidays, chronicling the many acts of kindness rendered the poor and afflicted by those charitably inclined. "Inasmuch as ye did it unto the least of these My Children, Ye have done it unto Me." The different charitable organizations should be congratulated, because they have ferreted out the deserving sufferers and ministered to their needs. In many instances those who need most possess too much pride to let their wants be known, and many times have endured untold hardships.

## THE SMITH CASE.

Today had been set for hearing arguments in the Corporation Court by the counsel for Henry Smith, colored, on the motion for a change of venue. Smith was indicted for participation in the murder of Walter F. Schultz last March. Mr. R. D. Brumback, who, with Mr. F. P. Russell represents Smith, had prepared an affidavit setting forth reasons why there should be a change of venue, but Smith refused to sign the paper. Mr. Brumback then moved that he be relieved as one of the counsel in the case. The court overruled this motion on the ground that this would prove a hardship for the prisoner and at the same time result in a postponement of the trial. The city sergeant was subsequently ordered to summon a venue of thirty-five from Charlottesville. This trial will begin on the 6th instant.

## WHAT DO WE LEARN FROM HISTORY.

Of what service to men and women of today are the records which have been preserved of the deeds of the ancients? They are of great service if studied and obeyed, for they warn and guide us to avoid the mistakes already made, and to emulate their virtues. At the evening service of the Second Presbyterian Church during the months of January, February and March, Rev. J. R. Sevier will preach on "Lessons from Israel's History." The sermons will be practical studies of the lives of men who made the nation, with lessons for present day living. Tomorrow evening at 7:30 he will speak of "Rehoboam, or a man who made a great mistake." A cordial invitation to all.

## FIRST BAPTIST CHURCH.

Watch meeting services were held at the First Baptist Church last evening, and were very largely attended. During the evening the pastor, assisted by Rev. W. K. Lunkford, pastor of the Second Baptist Church, ordained Mr. Wm. J. Jorg, as a deacon of the church. Mr. J. R. Mansfield read a paper on the summary for 1909 from a religious standpoint. Miss Estelle Wood read an appropriate poem on the dying year. Rev. W. F. Watson made the closing address, following which the last minutes of the old year were spent in prayer. Promptly at 12 o'clock the meeting closed and there was an exchange of hearty good cheer and wishes for the new year.

## CASE CONTINUED.

Lieutenant Batlle and Officers Rawlett and Beach arrested Guy Jackson, colored, yesterday, charged with discharging a pistol at Henry Hatcher, colored. The latter was not present when the case was called in the Police Court this morning, and it was continued until Monday morning. Jackson and Hatcher engaged in a dispute in a saloon in the northeastern section of the city on Thursday night and subsequently went into the yard, where, Hatcher alleges, Jackson shot at him. The latter, however, says Hatcher attacked him with a knife and that he also assaulted him with a pistol.

## PROMOTED.

Mr. J. Y. Williams, who for several years past has been the capable manager for the Havener Baking Company in this city, has been promoted and taken into the office of the company in Washington. He will, however, have supervision of the company's business in this city, which he has heretofore conducted so well and faithfully. Mr. Williams' promotion is well deserved, and today he is receiving the congratulations of his many friends in this city.

## THE RIVER.

The floating ice in the river froze into a solid mass last night, and this morning the surface was impassable except when a tugboat passed up or down. The river steamers are laid up but the Baltimore and Norfolk boats are still running. The steamer Norfolk arrived up this morning ten minutes late and the St. Johns about two hours behind her schedule time. Ice extends virtually to the mouth of the river, and considerable floating ice is encountered in Chesapeake Bay. There is also ice in the Norfolk harbor.

## OLD BUSINESS CLOSED.

The Miller Company, which for years past has been engaged in the china, glass and earthenware business in this city, has decided to close its business from year to year. It is probable, however, that some one will purchase the stock and good will and reopen the business in the near future.

## POTOMAC LODGE.

At the meeting of Potomac Lodge of Odd Fellows last night arrangements were made for the reception of Grand Master Turner, who will visit the lodge next Friday night, not last night, as had been announced. The installation will take place at the next meeting. The third degree was conferred last night.

## Our Christmas Wreaths REDUCED IN PRICE THIS WEEK ONLY.

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## PERSONAL.

The many friends of Mr. John Riley will be pained to know that he is seriously ill with pneumonia.

Mr. and Mrs. Geo. W. Carter have as their guests for the holidays their mother and father, Mr. and Mrs. J. Carter, of Weverton, Md., and their niece and nephew, Mr. and Mrs. C. E. Beale, of Wilmington, Del.

Miss Pauline Nicol was the guest several days this week of Miss Virginia Eden, at Manassas.

Miss Lillian Griffin, of Baltimore, is visiting relatives in this city.

Mr. Garrie White, who has been quite sick for several days past, is improving.

The marriage of Miss Roberta McCarty Stuart to Mr. Gilbert Alexander Outerbridge was solemnized at 8 o'clock last evening in Holy Trinity Church, Hamilton Parish, Bailey's bay, Bermuda islands. The bride is a daughter of Mrs. Ruth Yeaton and the late Judge Charles E. Stuart, of this city.

Dr. John W. Burke, of New York, is visiting his parents in this city.

Mr. S. E. Norris and wife, of Richmond, who have been spending the holidays with Mr. M. R. Norris, in this city, will leave for their home tomorrow.

Miss Ethel Larmand has returned from a pleasant visit to friends in Orange.

Homer Lind, whose vocal powers have given him a world-wide notoriety, has recently been drawing large houses in Hartford, Conn. The vocalists is an Alexandrian, he being a son of the late Samuel Lindheimer, and a nephew of the late Mayor Henry Strauss.

Miss May V. Baggett, of North Payne street, and Mr. Thomas F. Iddings, formerly employed here as an electrician but now in Philadelphia, were quietly married in Grace Church this morning by Rev. Edgar Carpenter. Miss Mary Baumgardner and Mrs. Mary E. Baggett attended the bride. The couple left on the noon train for Philadelphia, their future home.

## NEW YEAR'S GERMAN.

The New Year's german given by the Alexandria German Club last night at McBurney's Hall was a great success, and in point of attendance eclipsed the Christmas dance. The buds of past seasons mingled with the debutantes and awaited materially in making this one of the most attractive dances ever given by the german club. The chaperones were Mrs. E. H. Kemper, Mrs. George Uhler, Mrs. T. A. Sommers, Miss Oora Cochran, Miss Elizabeth Janney, Miss Oora Snoot and Miss Mamie Thompson. Among the out-of-town guests were: Misses Sawyer, Williams, Rogers, McGowan and Messrs. Adams, Camp, Gordon, Addison and Howard, of Washington; Fred, Richardson, of Fairfax; Nelson Randall, of Manassas; Oba O. Geo. Brent and Geo. Adderton, of Washington and Lee University; Gardiner L. Carter, of University of Virginia; Dr. Maddux, U. S. N.; Dr. Woods, U. S. N.; Lieut. O. D. Barrett, U. S. M. C.; Capt. Butler and Lieut. Magruder, U. S. A.; Raymond Griffith, of Baltimore; T. P. Spencer and Mr. Hanley, of Washington, and Miss Janet Kahn, of Haxcock, Md. Schroeder's orchestra, of Washington, furnished delightful music during the evening, and at midnight an elaborate supper was served.

The german was led by Mrs. Louis Scott and Mr. J. S. Douglas, jr., and many new and interesting figures were introduced, the feature being the figure 1910 as the New Year was ushered in.

## RELANCE FIRE COMPANY.

The following is the report of the Reliance Fire Engine Company for the year 1909. The number of alarms of fire, time of actual service and number of feet of hose used:

Alarms of fire.	Time of hose used.	Number feet of hose used.
January, 6.....	1 hour, 15 minutes.....	700
February, 2.....	20 minutes.....	300
March, 2.....	20 minutes.....	400
April, 9.....	1 hour, 15 minutes.....	1,200
May, 5.....	1 hour, 15 minutes.....	1,000
June, 1.....	no service.....	0
July, 10.....	1 hour, 45 minutes.....	1,150
August, 5.....	1 hour, 15 minutes.....	1,400
September, 1.....	15 minutes.....	450
October, 3.....	1 hour, 30 minutes.....	700
November, 7.....	no service.....	0
December, 14.....	4 hours, 30 minutes.....	1,750
Total alarms.....		9,050
Total time of actual service.....	21 hours, 50 min.	

Respectfully,  
WM. H. BONTZ, Engineer.

## U. S. COURT.

The January term of the United States Court for the Eastern district of Virginia, Judge Edmund Waddill presiding, will convene Monday next, at which time the grand jury will meet. On Tuesday the petit jury will meet. Both juries have already been summoned. At this term of court it is expected that but little business will transacted.

## CAR INSPECTOR OUT.

Mr. John Sheshey, car inspector of the Southern Railway, was out on the right leg by some unknown person while employed in the yard of the company, last night. He was taken to his home on north Columbus street where he was attended by Dr. Gorman who took several stitches in the wound. It was reported that he had been shot, but this was erroneous.

## OPERA HOUSE.

The Guy Johnson Company will again occupy the boards at the Opera House tonight, presenting two original comedy acts together with three reels of moving pictures and vaudeville specialties by members of the company.

Could anything look neater on a neat foot than the footwear to be found at the shoe store of John A. Marshall & Bro. Glance at the window display.

## A CARD.

In order to save the annoyance of my friends calling me at the Gazette office over the telephone, I wish to inform them that I have accepted a position in the printing establishment of Mr. Clyde W. Saunders, in Richmond, and will leave for that city Monday. In returning my thanks to those who have been very kind to me over the past year, I have been connected with the paper I wish for them and the owners of the Gazette a prosperous and happy new year.

## GEO. H. HAYDEN.

LOST—MALTESE BULL DOG, white chest, white front legs, bob tail. Reward for its return to ALAN HUME, Mt. Ida, Alexandria county, Jan. 31.

LOST—On King street, between Fairfax and Washington streets, a small pearl BEASTING. The finder will receive a reward by returning same to A. KATZ, 401 King street.

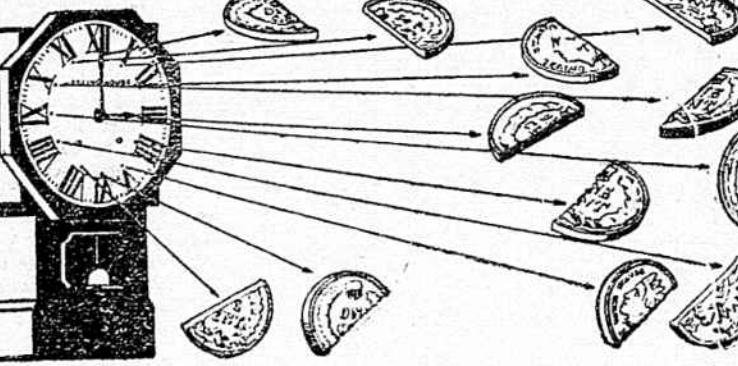
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## CIRCUIT COURT FOR THE CITY.

The Circuit Court for the city, Judge Thornton, will meet on Monday, at which time a special grand jury will be summoned to try the case of David Taylor vs. the W. A. & M. V. R. W. Co., a suit for damages, the plaintiff having lost a leg in an accident on the road. This case has been removed from Alexandria county, where a jury awarded Taylor \$1,000. The verdict, however, was set aside by the Court of Appeals. Taylor is represented by Messrs. J. M. Johnson and S. P. Fisher. The case of John J. Lawler vs. the W. A. & M. V. R. W. Co., a suit for \$10,000 damages, will also come up on Tuesday. The plaintiff claims that on June 26, 1908, he sustained serious injuries by falling from a car of the defendant company. Mr. Lawler is represented by Messrs. W. E. Fendall and J. K. M. Norton.

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**THE ANNUAL MEETING OF THE STOCKHOLDERS OF THE COLIMIA GRANITE AND DREDGING CORPORATION** will be held at the offices of said company, Rooms 1 and 2, Alexandria National Bank Building, Alexandria, Virginia, on THURSDAY, January 20, 1910, at 12 o'clock noon, for the election of directors and for the transaction of such other business as may legally come before said meeting. G. A. BOKNER, Secretary.

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**VIRGINIA.**—In the Clerk's Office of the Corporation Court of the City of Alexandria, on the 18th day of December, 1909, Carrie F. Beckham, v. G. Fess Beckham, Margaret S. M. Beckham, P. S. Grogan, and Pierce Grogan, her husband; Floyd M. Robinson and —, her husband; Beverly W. Beckham, and Annie E. Resch Chancery partition.

Memo. The object of this suit is to obtain a partition, and sale and division of the proceeds amongst these entitled, of the property of the late John G. Beckham, in the city of Alexandria, Virginia, bounded and described as follows:  
Beginning on the north side of King street, sixty (60) feet east of Lee street, and running thence west on King street about thirty (30) feet to a brick wall of the building adjoining thence north, parallel with Lee street, eighty-one (81) feet to a thirty (30) feet alley; thence eastwardly on said alley about thirty (30) feet and thence south to the point of beginning.  
In appearing by an affidavit filed in this cause that the defendants, G. Fess Beckham, Margaret S. M. Beckham, P. S. Grogan, and Pierce Grogan, her husband; Floyd M. Robinson and —, her husband; and Beverly W. Beckham are non-residents of this state; It is Ordered, That said defendants appear here within fifteen days after due publication of this order, and do what is necessary to protect their interests in this suit, and that a copy of this order be forthwith inserted in the Alexandria Gazette, a newspaper published in the City of Alexandria, once a week for four successive weeks, and posted at the front door of the Court House of this city.

A. NEVELL S. GREENAWAY, Clerk.  
J. K. M. Norton, p. q. dec17 w4w

**OPENING AND CLOSING OF MAILS**  
Northern mails, week days, close at 8:45 a. m. and 10:40 a. m., and 8:40, 8:15 and 10:50 p. m. Open at 8:00 a. m., 12:00 m., and 5:00 p. m. On Sundays Northern mails close at 8:45 a. m., 1:40, and 7:15 p. m.

Southern mails via Southern Railway close at 10:40 a. m., 4:30 and 10:15 p. m. Open at 8:00 a. m., and 4:40 p. m.  
Mail via R. F. & P. B. R. close at 9:45 and 11:40 a. m., and 3:50, 7:00 and 10:30 p. m. Open at 8 and 9:30 a. m., 3 and 10:15 p. m.  
Mail via Chesapeake and Ohio mails close at 1:40 p. m. and 10:15 p. m. Open at 9:00 a. m. and 4:00 p. m.  
Washington mails close at 8:45 and 10:40 a. m., and 1:40, 8:15, and 10:50 p. m. Open at 8:00 a. m., 12:00 m., and 5:00 p. m. and 8:30 p. m.  
Office Hours—Open at 9:00 a. m. Close at 6:00 p. m.  
Sundays—Hours—Open at 9:00 a. m. Close at 10:00 a. m.  
Carriers' Schedule—Collection made on inside routes—8:15 and 10:00 a. m. and 3:00 and 5:30 p. m. Full route—9:15 a. m. and 5:30 p. m. Carriers collect at 4:45 p. m. Carriers' window open Sunday 9:00 a. m. and close 10:00 a. m.

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